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Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action
mailed on June 19, 2002. Please amend the above-identified
application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 1, 21 and 29 as follows:

1. (Thrice Amended) A method in a computer system for generating
images on a display device, the method comprising:

displaying an insertion marker at an insertion area on
a display, the insertion area representing the
location at which the user desires to provide
input; and

displaying a progress meter near the insertion area
based on the location of the insertion marker, the
progress meter quantitatively indicative of the
amount of progress in decoding a speech input.